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[Despatch Abstract.]

Jails - Central Jail Bellary - Extramural employment of Convicts - Sanctioned

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No. Medl.113/G./241

Station Mount Road,Madras. *Dated the* 5th September 19 36.

From (Name) Lieut-Col.M.M.Khan,I.M.S.,
(Designation) ag.Inspector-General of Prisons.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that the Officer Commanding First Battalion, M and S.M.R. Rifles, Perambur has requested that the camping ground and parade ground at Bellary in the vicinity of the old hospital for holding the Annual Camp of exercise from the 28th October to the 5th December 1936 may be cleared of its shrubs and cleaned with the aid of convict labour. I request that Government will be pleased to accord sanction under Rule 392 Jail Manual to the employment of a gang of ten convicts from the Central Jail,Bellary extramurally for the purpose. The labour will be charged for at the rate of two annas per head per diem.

A similar sanction was accorded in G.O.No.Ms.2687, (W)
Law (General),dated the 20th August 1935.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Lieut-Col.I.M.S.,
ag.Inspector-General of Prisons.

vss.

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Home Dept.

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C.R.O. 3297F Memo — 22977-1/26.9.36

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Jails - Central Jail, Bellary - Extra mural employment of convicts — Rep. letter from the D.G. of Prisons.

No Medl. 113G/1241 D/5-9-36

Secy's notes on p 2 ns.

The D.G. of Prisons is requested to say what is the actual amount debited in the commercial accounts as price of jail labour or wages ~~of a convict per day, each employed extra mural employment~~

CAB. 28/9/36.

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The D.G. of Prisons

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No. G. 1458.

Station Mount Road, Madras *Dated the* 1st October, 1936.

From (Name) Lieut-Col.M.M.Khan, I.M.S.,

(Designation) Ag. Inspector-General of Prisons.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

HOME Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to report that the information regarding the actual amount debited in the Commercial accounts as price of jail labour per day, has been called for and will be furnished on receipt.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Ranganathan

Personal Assistant
for Inspector-General of Prisons.

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Jail **DEPARTMENT.**

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Jails - Central Jail, Bellary - Extramural employment of convicts - Ref:- Government Memorandum No.2297-F-1, Home, dated the 26th September 1936.

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Station Mount Road, Madras *Dated the* 9th October 19 36

From (Name) Lieut-Col.M.M.Khan, I.M.S.,
(Designation) ag.Inspector-General of Prisons.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

p.4 ante

In continuation of my letter No.G.1458, dated the 1st October 1936, I have the honour to state that ~~the~~ convict labour is assessed as follows and debited in the commercial accounts accordingly.

Convicts - skilled. at Rs.0-4-0 per head per diem.
Convicts - Unskilled, at Rs.0-2-0 -do-

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Personal Assistant
for Inspector-General of Prisons.

vss

HOME DEPARTMENT.

Subject: Jails - Central Jail, Bellary - Extra-mural employment of convicts.

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(C.No.2297F.) From the I.G. of Prisons No. Medl.113/G-1241 dated the 5.9.36.

At the instance of the Officer Commanding, 1st Battalion, M. & S.M.R. Rifles, Perambur, the I.G. of Prisons requests that sanction of Govt. may be accorded, under rule 392 of the Jail Manual, to employ a gang of 10 convicts from the Central Jail, Bellary extra-murally for the purpose of clearing the grounds near the old hospital at Bellary for use as camping and parade grounds by the Rifles at their annual camp or exercise in 1936. It is reported that the labour will be charged for at two annas per head per diem. Similar sanctions have been accorded in previous years - G.O.No.2704 L.G. dated 21.9.34 and G.O.No.2687 L.G. dated 20.8.35.

2. Attention is invited to G.O.No.1759 Home dated 12.8.36 in which Govt. turned down a similar proposal made by the I.G., that a gang of three convicts of the Trichinopoly Central Jail might be employed for supplying water from the jail to the Dt. Medical Officer's bungalow in Trichinopoly. The proposal was vetoed on the following grounds:-

(i) Special supervision required for a small party of convicts working outside the jail is an extravagance, and it is undesirable to have such small parties working outside the jail.

(ii) There is no reason why Govt. should supply cheap labour outside the jail when there is so much unemployment, and the charge of two annas a day per convict proposed to be levied is less than it would cost to keep a prisoner in jail.

The present proposal of the I.G. of Prisons is would seem

seem to be open to similar objections. It is, therefore, for orders whether it will be approved by Govt.

CW
11/9

(1) On previous occasions, permission for the extramural employment of a gang has been sanctioned.

(2) This case can be distinguished from the one referred to in this office note. In the latter under rule 264(1) of the Jail Manual the strength of a gang of convicts inside a jail is not specified. For extramural work, a gang consists of 11 prisoners who are supervised by a paid warder. Ordinarily in estimating the staff of warders required for a jail, one warder for every 11 prisoners is allowed. In the present instance a gang of ten convicts are proposed to be employed. So reason (1) may not be fully applicable.

(3) For orders whether the extramural employment may be sanctioned in the present case.

BB
16/9

S

What is debited in the Commercial accts as price of jail-labour or wages

HK
16/9

Such work is a matter of supplying cheap labour for the benefit of private individuals

HK
16/9

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As.

With reference to the ruling of Secy on page 2 ante, it is subd that the amount debited ~~[illegible]~~ of/contract, in the commercial accounts is not ~~to be found~~ given in the Audit Reports on the manufactory sections in the Central Jails at Vello. and Coimbatore. The D. G. maybe asked to say what is debited in the commercial accounts as price of jail labour or wages. Draft memo subd.

CSP.
23/9/36.

CAN
23/9

1 S of Go. 2055 LG 18-6-35 (1)

6 of Go 3483 LG 1-8-35 (2)

13 CF Memo. to the D. G. of Prisons, 2297 F-1 dy 26-9-36.

2755 F. From the D. G. of Prisons, G. 1458 dy 1-10-36

MeCF

As.

The D. G's further communication re the price of jail labour may be awaited till 15-10-36.*

CSP.
7/10/36.

* the comm. in to commence u/n 28/10 - 10.10.36

No 9

2920 F. From the D. Gr. of Prisons., No. Audit

Gr. 1527 dt 9-10-36 ½ Cf

As:-

The D. Gr. has reported that convict labour is assessed and debited Vide Secy's in the commercial accounts as follows:- . notings ante

Convicts - Skilled at. 0-4-0 per head per diem. ½ Cf

Convicts - unskilled .. 0-2-0 per head per diem - +

Subd for orders. In the present case, four annas per head a day will be charged

C&P. 13/10/36.

car 13/10/36 — BB 13/10

(Put in urgent paid as the case is to commence on 28th. inst. — ½ Cf)

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May be permitted

HB 16.10

The draft order submitted below is for approval

car 16/10

BB 16/10

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C.F. 16.

DRAFT FOR APPROVAL.

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READ *ALSO*:—

No. 2287 F From the Dy of Prisons, No. Med 113/36 dated 3/9 1936. G.O. 1241

" _____ " _____ " Audit " 9/10/1936 G.O. 1527

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~~Order~~ ~~Ms.~~ ~~Resolution~~ ~~Rout.~~ No. 2736, dated 17 - 10 - 1936.

Proceedings (W)

The Govt sanction the proposal of the Dy of Prisons for the employment of a gang of ten Convicts from the Central Jail, Bellary, to clear the grounds near the Old Hospital at Bellary for use as Camping and parade grounds by the First Battalion M+S.M.R. Rifles at their annual Camp of exercise to be held in 1936.

PJT
16.10.36.

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To the Dy of Prisons for
Copy to the Supdt. C. Jail, Bellary.

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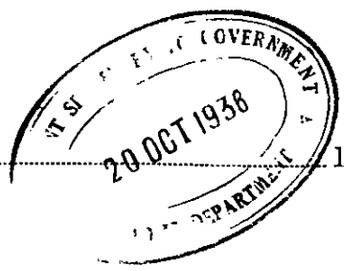
Jail **DEPARTMENT.**



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MS Dis Go 2736 Home 17-10-36 (W)

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No. Medical 113/G. 1590.

Station Mount Road, Madras, *Dated the* 19th October 19 36

From (Name) Lieut-Col. M.M. Khan, I.M.S.,
(Designation) ag. Inspector-General of Prisons.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

I have the nonour to report that in addition to labour charges at the rate of 2 annas per head per diem the Madras and Southern Maharatta Railway Rifle authorities have agreed to pay the supervision charges also, viz., the pay of the warder in charge of the gang.

Early orders are solicited.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Personal Assistant
for Inspector-General of Prisons.

(W) As. ~~Yes~~ Submit that orders have already been issued in G.O. No 2736 Home Dept dt 17-10-36 may be lodged & filed with the above G.O.

22/10/36 CSS 22/10